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Mr. Saul Teichman  
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Dear Saul:

Re; 1792 Silver Center Cent

It is fortunate that I have had the opportunity to check my correspondence and memory as to the silver center cent as some of my recent communication to you needs correction and explanation.

After acquiring the Green Estate coins and so forth, I did not own the 1792 silver center cent. Naturally I desired that it would be nice to own one. My relationship with Fred Boyd both before and After B. G. Johnson's death was extremely close. Any coins he asked me for to see or to own. I sent to him and he sent me whatever he felt that I would like to see or own. He was teaching me, helping me with research, and helping to build my collection. He also received from me some of my collection which he kept and helped me with whatever I was researching and writing whether coins or paper money.

I am sending you a copy of my letter of September 27, 1951 which on page 2 refers to my opportunity to compare two silver center cents and two dismes with those at the Massachusetts Historical Society. I confirmed my opinion as to which were genuine or counterfeit. I apparently thought Fred was checking my ability to determine genuine from counterfeit pieces. I returned three silver center cents and thanked Fred for the genuine silver center cent.

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman, Pres.